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Vith Salazar Band [|fi||

Salazar Captain Is Made Prisoner and Many of His Men Killed in Action.

CARRANZA TROOPS LEAVING TAMPICO

Are Advancing Against the Villistas at Monterey and San Luis Polosi.

THE first pitched battle between the forces of Gen, Villa and those of Gen. Jose Thez Salazar occurred Wednesday atternoon, according to official advices received by Gen. Tomas Ornelas, military commander of Junez. The buttle ended in the com-plete rout of the Salazar troops, he says.

terminated.

The Salarae forces had been raiding small towns for the last few days, and, since Menday, the Cabral troops have been endeavoring to corner the band. According to Justes advices, the Salarae troops held a strong position in the mountains. The fight began shortly after noon on Wednesday and lasted two hours. At the end of that 'ime only four of the band escaped, the remainder being either killed or cap-tured.

Captain Is Captured.

The War At a Glance TITHIN a two bour motor ride of Paris, emperor William of Germany is direct-

liam of Germany is directing a violent attack on the French line. The Germans under the cyes of their ruler, won an important victory in the fighting Wednesday near Solssons, the point at which the battle line, stretching down from the north of the point activest Paris, turns to the eastward.

In both the Paris and Berlin official statements today, the victory of the Germans on the heights of Vregny, northeant of Solssons, is recorded. The Berlin statement adds that the Germans, charging through heavy mud, took treach after treach, clearing the heights and cupturing 1120 prisoners.

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PIERCE FIGHTING IN EAST—
In the east also, furious fighting has been resumed. The Bussian forces in east Prussia have been driven back, the Berlin was office states, but the Russians advancing toward the Prussian frontier from the Minwa region have captured several towns.

In contrai Painna the Germans have made four violent staticks within 48 hours. They succeeded in driving back the Russians and winning considerable ground.

Russia has once more undertaken an offensive morement against two of the three autions she is fight-ing.

SEEK TO PENETRATE PRUSSIA-After a long period of inactivity her forces in the north are attempting to penetrate from two directions into cost Prussin, where Russia several manths ago sustained one of the most severe defeats of the war. In the Cancusus Bussian forces are again engaged in heavy fighting with the Turks, who, according to official Petrograd advices, have sustained large losses in the late encounters.

In Galiela and Bukowina, where finesin's activities are directed against Austria, there is now liftle activity, severe weather having cherked military uperations.

ing checked military operations.
PERSIANS ATTEMPTED DEFECT.
Although the Russian forces in
northern Persia apparently offered
no resistance to the Turks' adxances, small forces of Persians defended their country from invasion
but with no success. Of a guard
of 400 Persian horsemen at Miandoah, the "gateway to Persia," all
but four were killed.

Girl of 15 Denies Self

Among those captured was Isaac Fuentes, who was wounded. Upon his person was found the commission of a captain sized by Salasar. Fuentes is supposed to have been in charge of the Band. He, togother with the other prisoners, will be taken to Casas Grandes, where they will be tried following the trial it is understood that Capt. Focuses will be brought to Diarrer whon an emicarou will be made to learn from him the full strength and location of the Salasar troops.

Neither Villa nor Carranna agents here have as yet received official notification of the report from Mexico City that Enhalle Gutterres has been redected provisional president. Both because he has taken a stand against the wholesale executions in Mexico City and bomuse of his part in the escape of Eduardo Hurbide, Gutterres is considered to be very unpopular with the Zapata faction, whose candidate has been tien. Jone Boiles, minister of war.

A bill has been diawn up and will be presented to the Agunscallenter courser-ence, now in assion at Mexico City, to define the powers of the Chimashus land commission, according to advices (Continued as Page 7, Cal. 1).

Reserved Seats Now Selling

'Amigo Listo' (Ready Friend)

Benefit Vaudeville Show Tomorrow--Friday--Night--Jan. 15

Texas Grand Theater

Down-Town Box Office, Ryan's Drug Store Seats May Be Reserved by Phone-No. 629

ALL SEATS ARE 50 CENTS

Election to Select Delegates Would Be Held in July.

COLQUITT MESSAGE A LENGTHY ONE

Defends His Administration and Defends Bank Law Which Failed.

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Would Recence Allison Law.

The governor says the present legislature should reament the Allison liquor shipment laws that have been declared lavalid by the court of criminal appeals. Governor Ferguson is pledned not to sign any laws, "pro" or "anti," during his term.

Colquitt wants the legislature to mend the Robertson insurance law in several respects. He wants to remit the penalties now accrued against those companies who left when the law was passed, and allow them to return. Would Reenact Allison Law.

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He also wants the law amended so they can lend money in Texas, even if they do not want to return for the purpose of writing insurance.

Gov. Colquitt's biggest recommendation along this line is one that would allow Texas cities and counties to sell bonds in Texas, and have them exempt from tax. He wants a law pessed so that state, county and municipal bonds of insurance companies deposited in the state transury shall be exempt from taxation. The only bonds exempt are federal bonds.

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The governor recommends a compulsory education law. He says he wants a law compelling all "ide" children to attend school, or conversely he wants a law compelling all children not in school to go to work.

The outgoing governor recommends a civil service system for the kinte. He defends the suspended sentence law and says it has done wonders to refer rather than punish those who break the law. His message seems aimed at those who went that law repealed, among whom is senator Mc-Nealing, of Dallas.

Two Primary Elections.

He favors the holding of two primary elections in Texas when no candidate has a majority in the first primary, ife favors increasing the number of indress of the supreme court from three to five members, to relieve the work of this body.

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Colquitt points with pride to the fact that the tax rate has been lowered in Texas under his administration from it cents in 1912 to 37% cents this year. He defends R. F. Launey, the attorney general, pointing out that he has won 70 out of 84 suits, and has collected penalties of \$855,000.

He surys railroad rates are too low in Texas, and using the knowledge he guined as rathoad commissioner, points out that the greatest losses by Texas railroads are caused by their internate connections. He shows how Texas roads (Continued on Page 1, Col. 2).

Petrograd, Russis, vis London, Jan. 11—The correspondent of the Bourse Gagetts at Tiflis sends a statement made to him by Schodla Ed Dacciehl, the former governor of the province of Azerbijan, Persia, who has arrived in Tiflis. He is one of four survivors of a guard of 400 Persian horsemen who defended the bridge at the entrance to Miandonb, 'The gateway of Parsia.' He fought the Turka for ten hours, embling refugees to escape to Maragha, 50 miles sowth of Tabris. All Christians who remained in Miandonb he stated, were massacred.

"When I heard that the Turks were advancing," he said, "I posted 1569 troops in one of the Miandonb forts and 1200 in another I myself with 400 relatives and friends fought a hopeless battle at the bridge until all but four were killed by the Turks, quick firers. I then fied on horseback from Tabris to Julfa.

"All the members of the consulates and banks escaped from Tabris."

RUSSIANS AND GERMANS RESUME HARD FIGHTING

A USTIN, Tex., Jan. 14—A concurrent restore resolution was introduced in the Texas senate today by senator McNealus providing for the salidation of a constitutional convention to assemble at 12 octook moon in the city of Austin, on the first Monday in the city of Austin, on the first Monday in the city of Austin, on the first Monday in the city of Austin, on the first Monday in ally, 1915, for the purpose of framing a new constitution for the state. The resolution provides for an election to be beld on the fourth Saturday in ally, 1916, for the cleation of delegate from each of the senatorial direction to be beld on the fourth Saturday in ally, 1916, for the cleation of the clearance and the convention or "Against convention." In the event of a majority votes for the convention the governor shall sense by produced the convention the governor shall sense by produced the convention or "Against convention." In the event of a majority votes for the convention the governor shall sense by produced the convention or "Against convention." In the event of a majority votes for the convention the governor shall sense by produced the convention of "Against convention." In the event of a majority votes for the convention the governor shall sense by produced the convention of "Against convention." In the event of a majority votes for the convention the governor shall sense by produced the convention of "Against convention." In the event of a majority votes for the convention the governor shall sense by produced the convention of "Against convention." In the event of a majority votes for the convention the governor shall sense by produced the convention of the convention to the produced considerable ground the convention the governor shall sense by produced the convention of the convention." In the convent of the convention of the convention of the convention of the least by down the convention of the

Paris, France, Jan. 14.—The French people have been much touched by a new manifestation of American generosity in sending two and a half tons of eigars and pipe tobacco to the allies soldiers in the trenches. This amount, only half of the total shipment, reached Paris Wednesday and caused perturbation in the fiscal department, mannuch as the duties were \$20,000. The shipment has not yet been cleared, but it is said the officials will certainly remit the payment of duties.

The shipment included a case of cleares, pipes and tobacco for Gen. Joffre and a similar case for king Albert of Belgium.

PANAMA PROTESTS AGAINST VIOLATION OF NEUTRALITY

Panama, Jan. 14.—The republic of Panama has filed a hote of protest with Sir C. Mallet, the British minister, against the violation of her neutrality hast mouth, when British and Japanese warships entered San Miguel bay and other Panama waters to take on coal and supplies. The note in question is couched in friendly terms and is in no some aggressive.

This action by the British and Japanese warships was part of the series of incidents which led Col. Goethals to ask Washington for American torpedo boat destrovers to protect the interesting and protect the series of the

pedo bont destroyers to protect the neutrality of the canal.

AUSTRIA DOES NOT DENY VON BERCHTOLD RESIGNATION

Vienna, Austria, Jan. 14.—There has been no official denial of the announcement opinied in the Fremdenblatt to the effect that count Leopold you Burchtold, Austrian foreign minister, has resigned. He is to be succeeded by a Hungarian baron Stephan Burian you Banese, minister of the royal court in the Hungarian cabinet.

Count you berchtold had often expressed a desire to resign because of his advanced age, but no one dreamed he would drop out of office before the end of the present war, seeing such a step might be taken to indicate that his policies had falled.

BULLET PROOF WAISTCOATS DANGEROUS; FRANCE HOLDS Paris, France, Jan. 14.—Since experi-nents by war office experts have led to the conclusion that alleged bullet

Germans Take Vregny Heights, Capturing Trench After Trench Until After Dark; French Lose 14 Officers and 1130 Men, Report States; an Artillery Duel Between the Armies in Flanders Rages.

early days of the war on which hinged the German occupation of west Flunders, the struggle for the knott ROUMANIA NOTIFIES BULGARIA of ground northeast of Soissons known as "Spur 192" still remained undecided today, according to Information re-ceived in London. The Germans, however, by their counter attacks, appear to be in the better position to the eastward of the spur.
In view of the relatively small

amount of ground gamed, the losses amount of ground garned, the losses have been heavy on both sides, but the Germans show no signs of giving up their attempts to retake the hill. In fact, it is said that Gen, von Kluck himself is now in command of the German forces.

Farther east, near Perthes, where another sharp fight is still in progress, the situation has not changed materially, Judging from dispatches received here.

French Attacks Regulsed.

"Northeast of the camp of Chalons the French attacked again Wednesday in the morning and afternoon with strong forces, to the east of Perthes. They penetrated at certain places our trenches, but were regulsed by energetic counter attacks and driven back with heavy losses into their own positions. Teaving 160 prisoners in our hands. French Attacks Repulsed.

hands.
"In the Argonne and the Vosges nething of importance has occurred.
Russians Taken Prisoners.
In the eastern theater of war Russian attacks to the southeast of Gumblianen (cast Prussia) and to the east of Loctzen have been repulsed and many hundreds of prisoners have been taken.

taken. "The situation in northern Poland is the same. "Our attacks west of the Vistula are

"Our attacks west of the Vistula are being continued.
"Nothing of importance has occurred on the eastern bank of the Pilloa."

Germans Give Their Report.
The German war office at Berlin today gave out the following statement:
"In the western thoater of the war in the dunes near Nieuport and southwest of Tpres, artillery combats are going on. The enemy directed an extremely strong five on Westende, which they soon will have entirely destroyed. Their torpedo boats disappeared quickly as soon as they received our fire.

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The French office gave out this afternoon as official communication in part as follows:

"To the north of Sommons there was determined lighting all day Wednesday. The engagement was localized to a section of ground to the north of Crouy. We hold only the first slopes of these hills. On our left in this field one counter attacks made slight progress, but without succeeding in recording a material advance. On the center we remined our positions around the village of Crouy in spite of the repealed efforts of the enemy to dialodge us, but on the vist in front of Vregny, we were obliged to yield.

"Along the remainder of the front along the Alsne there was nothing Wednesday more than artillery exchanges." In Champages the region of Perthes

Wednesday more than artiflery ex-changes.
"In Champagne the region of Perthes continued to be the scene of local en-gagements for the possession of Ger-man trenches on the second and third lines of defence.

ONDON, Eng., Jan. 14.—Like the we then opened a violent artillery and infantry fire on these positions.

There is nothing to report on the rest of the front."

OF HER PEACEFUL INTENTIONS Loudon, Eng., Jan. 14.—Requesting has notified Bulgaria that her military preparations are not directed against Bulgaria, according to a dispatch from Sofia, Bulgaria, which says the notification has been made public there.

RESTISH AVIATORS ATTACK

GERMAN PORCES AT ANTWERP
Amsterdam, Holland, Jan. 14.—The
Telegrand, in its issue of today, says,
it has learned that British aviators,
last Monday dropped bombs on the
Garman positions at Antwerp, The

London, Eng., Jan. 14.—Several buildings in Warsaw, Russian Poland, were set aftre by bombs dropped by a German aviator who flew over the

city Sunday, according to a Berlin dispatch to Copenhagen.

LEGISLATURE VOTES \$15,000

TO SUPPRESS BANK ROBBERY

are held at Cushing and the other three at Pawases.

The Spess brothers are reported to have confessed to having robbed the First National hank at Teriton Triesday. More than 50 shots were fired in a running fight between the robbers and a posta in the woods of the Osage bills. James Spess was wounded, but not fatally. hills. James Spess was wounded, but

FLEET STARTS THROUGH PANAMA CANAL FEB. 26

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Washington, D. C. Jan 14—According to plans of the navy department for the international gruise to the Panama Pacific exposition at San Francisco, the first section of the Atlantic feet will begin passing through the Panama canal February 35.

Other vessels will go through day by any until Morch 15, when president Vilvac, is the to arrive on the bat hehip New York and transfer to the old attleship Oregon for the trip through the canat.

Only Spain Portural Arganting

Only Spain, Portugal, Argentina and Cuba have so far indicated their inten-tion of sending ships.

COL. MANN IS NOMINATED TO BE BRIGADIER GENERAL.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 14. President
Wilson today nominated Col. William
A. Manu, Third infantry, for promotion

Avezzano Is Turned Into City of the Dead; Only 10 Percent Survive.

MESSINA HORROR IS ONLY PARALLEL

Italian King Hastens to Direct Rescue; All Central

Sofie, Engraria, which says the notification has been made public there.

PERSIANS ARE AIDING
TURKS, LATTER REPORT
Amsterdam. Holland, Jan. 14—
Assisted by Persian troops, the Turks are steadily advancing into Azarbaijan province. Persia, in order to deliver the country from "the Russian voke," according to an official communication from Constantinopte.

The réport adds:

"We have and further notable success, occupying advanced positions of the Russians in the vicinity of Tabria.

"A number of tribesmen of the British army of occupation in Egypt have surrendered to our vanguard."

INDIA HAS CONTRIBUTED

200.000 MEN TO THE WAR.

Delhi, Jedin, Jan. 14—The viceroy, haven Hardinge, in a speech today at the opening of the viceresal council disclosed that the troops contributed by India to the war number 200.000. The soldiers are distributed in Prance. Egypt, east Africa and along the Persian guil.

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Cenchio, Collarmele, Pescina and San Benedelta also are in large measure destroyed.

At Sora in the province of Caserta, a town of over 5000 population, the victims are estimated at 500. Two-thirds of the bouses in the town have been rared, while many of the others are damaged beyond repair. The Boan palace is rained. Twenty workmen are buried in the wrockaze.

Officials Are Killed.

An employe of the municipality of Avezzano, one of the few survivers of the city, says the dead include the subprefect and the members of his family, the whole staff of the prefectare; the staff of the law courts; the mayor and all the members of the minicipal council. Ninety-five of the 100 soldiers who comprised the local garrison lost their lives, as did four out of the seven custom officials and eight out of the nine policemen.

Everything Seemed to Collapse.

The employs was on the street when the shock came. To him it becomed as if everything fell to pieces at ouck An immense cloud of dust rose from the rains and completely velled the salve the shocks. If not actual wounds, they were not capable of helping from the shocks. If not actual wounds, they were not capable of helping the wounded buried in the rulins. Property Loss Not Tetnied.

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The full extent of the property less has not yet been determined. Here to Rome priceless statues, century-old buildings and structures that for years have been the meets of visitors, have been destroyed or injured.

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Though the loss of life, and possibly
the damage may be less than it was
in 1908, the area of the disturbance
greatly exceeds that of the Musnima
earthquake. It covers the whole cantral portion of Italy, extending from
Naples on the south to Forcara on the

north.

15,000 Killed at Ayezzand.

The most disastrons disturbance, from all reports, seems to have contered in the vicinity of the town of Avessans, where 15,000 persons have been killed or injured, accusting to the latest efficial reports. Reports of damago in varying degrees of severity have come from Latium. Abrustly Umbriz, the Marches, Tuscany, Amila, Campanie and Apulta.

Quake Bolt 300 Miles Long.

# No Equal to The Herald

Editor El Paso Herald

Morenci, Ariz., Jan. 10, 1915.

I am leaving here in a day or two for Mexico, and will send you my new address for the paper when I get settled there. Thanking you very much for your paper, of which I think there is no equal in this part of the country, I am, yours truly,

THOMAS CHUBB.

Will You Be Found Whining Jan. 30 That "Mexicans Crowded Me Out"?